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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Naoto MATONO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2627

Application No.: 10/699,802

Examiner: D. DAVIS

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Docket No.: 117657

For: THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE
SAME

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Election of Species Requirement mailed May 17, 2007, please consider
the following:

Remarks.